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Norway Woman's Club

Musical Program Presented Tuesday Afternoon by Mrs. Kilborn and Mr. Tremblay

The Norway Woman's Club had a delightful afternoon, Tuesday, and Legion Hall was filled with an appreciative and very responsive audience. In the absence of the guests, Mrs. Helen T. Dexter, Mrs. Annie Andrews Presided, opening the meeting with singing America, and the club collect. A short business meeting followed, when Mrs. Andrews introduced the artists, one a local musician, Mrs. Pearl Cook Kilborn, and the other, from Portland, Wilfred Tremblay, accomplished pianist. They gave a very delightful program on the marimba and piano, Mr. Tremblay accompanying Mrs. Kilborn in addition to his solo selections. Their program was as follows:

1. Grave: Allegro con brio.....Beethoven
2. Rondo.....Beethoven
3. My Heart at Sweet Voice, from Samara and Della.....Saint-Saens
4. The Evening Star from Tannhauser.....Wagner

Value.....Mr. Tremblay
Polonaise.....Mr. Tremblay

The Rosary.....Ethelbert Nevin
The Old Refrain.....Fritz Kreisler
Prelude.....Rachmaninoff
Molodtzev.....Rachmaninoff
Tarentella (Vegeta e Napoli).....List

Mrs. Kilborn gave encores after both her groups. That the program was enjoyed was evidenced by the hearty applause and it was declared as one of the outstanding afternoons of the year. A social hour followed and the artists were given an informal reception. During the concert, Mrs. Kilborn presented with flowers from the members of the Ninovus Club, of which she is a member.

The Club received an invitation to visit the South Paris Community Club Feb. 20th, when Mrs. Merrill Hain will be the annual speaker. This was accepted. Notice was given that the Red Cross and Kiwanis Club are serving hot lunches at the schoolhouse on Tuesdays, and any members who have jelly or marmalade that they would donate, it would be appreciated.

LAKE TEMPLE NOTES

A George Washington program followed the regular meeting of Lake Temple Pithia Sisters meeting Tuesday evening. Articles on the life and activities of Washington were read and quoted as given. A Washington historical guessing contest was interesting and a memory tester. Lunch was served and a social hour followed. A number of visitors from Hamlin Lodge were present.

The card party at the home of Mrs. Mary Kimball, Saturday evening was enjoyed by a large number and a good fund was collected for the special fund. Because of the minstrel show next week the usual party will be carried forward to a date to be announced.

Mrs. Florence Cawcutt, Miss Jessie Everett and Mrs. Mary Kimball attended the mid-winter meeting of Past Chiefs Association at Augusta. They went by automobile and found excellent roads.

KIWANIS COMEDY

Watch for the date of "The Night-cap" a mystery comedy in three acts, produced originally at the 38th St. Theatre, New York, and by special arrangement with Samuel French of New York and presented by the Kiwanis Club.

LEGALIZED ICE FISHING BELOW CROCKETT'S BRIDGE

Fishing through the ice on the lower part of Lake Pennesseewassee known as the "Dog" will be legal in accordance with the general laws, commencing on Feb. 1, 1932. The legal territory is from the outlet at the dam to certain signs posted below Crockett's Bridge. A public notice appears in this issue of the Advertiser.

This decision by Geo. J. Stobie, Fish and Game Commissioner, follows a hearing on the question of opening Lower Pennesseewassee to ice fishing, held at the Opera House, Saturday afternoon. The meeting was largely attended and the sentiments strongly in favor of the action.

Mrs. George Tucker celebrated her 86th birthday, Tuesday, and in the evening she was given a happy surprise when several ladies made their appearance for a game of bridge. They included Mrs. Florence Pike, Mrs. Gertrude Homer, Mrs. Emma Sargent, who arrived first and had started to play before the others arrived and the hostess did not think much about any birthday significance until the other four were announced, Miss Emma Smith, Mrs. Estelle Bell, Mrs. Edith Riddell and Miss Charlotte Lowjoy. Mrs. Tucker was presented with flowers and congratulations followed. Two tables were filled for bridge, the hostess enjoying a game of cards as well as the younger members of the party.

THE NORWAY ADVERTISER

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NORWAY, ME. FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1932.
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How Can Norway Cut Costs So As To Reduce Taxes?

NORWAY TAX RATES FOR FIFTEEN YEARS

Year	Tax per \$1,000
1917	21.00
1918	26.00
1919	25.50
1920	46.00
1921	40.00
1922	42.00
1923	46.00
1924	45.00
1925	45.00
1926	47.00
1927	47.00
1928	50.00
1929	50.00
1930	50.00
1931	50.00

Polis and property outside the village are assessed the town tax only. Those in the village corporation are assessed both taxes.

Economizing on Schools

Another Taxpayer Views
In your last issue there was a letter from a taxpayer that interested me exceedingly, and on account of the rather unusual suggestions made I would like to offer still more suggestions for the consideration of the one that wrote that letter, and for any other tax payers that may be interested.

The author suggested that the owners of wood lots might be willing to give the wood, and that unemployed men might be found that might be willing to take the schools for nothing. Probably the schools might be found to do the janitor work necessary for patriotic reasons and to save expense.

Then the author makes the somewhat surprising statement that the teachers should have more pay, if necessary. The author of this letter is not an old maid, or an old bachelor and is neither wealthy or notoriously close in dealing with every day business matters. He is a good tax payer with the tax collector and by prudent and careful living has managed to keep all bills paid and hopes to continue to do so without his help.

I would like to suggest that the author of the article referred to should go to some owners of wood lots, who are having a hard time to raise the money to pay the taxes on their land, and suggest that they give the wood to the town, and then to the unemployed men, that do not know where the next weeks living expenses are coming from, and suggest that they give the wood for nothing, and then to the tired and discouraged women that need money to buy groceries and clothes and ask them if they will clean the school houses without pay.

And after having done this, go to the school teachers, who are exceedingly well paid, and who get a year's salary for quinquennial pay, and suggest that they work thirty-six weeks in a year, and ask them what good excuse they have for asking or expecting the present wages when all the rest of the community are working for government, industrial and living expenses are almost back to pre-war prices.

After this has been done, I would like to see another letter from the author stating his or her experiences, and I feel quite sure the editor of the Advertiser will be willing to print it.

—Another Taxpayer.

LOWER TAXES AGAIN

Those who wish to see taxes lowered, say in last week's paper, ample evidence of the need of having appropriations cut down at the annual town meeting. When the cost of running every department has so largely increased within a few years—no particular mention of any one that needs pruning.

Every one in the present hard times should have the same treatment. This is horse sense and good judgment in any way it can be proved.

If the citizen has "howled" for lower taxes, his critics have brayed like the jack for particulars, when none were required, how can I tell, I hear the evidence.

—Citizen.

The Norway-Park Kiwanis Club met Thursday at the Norway Universalist church. Henry G. Lundberg of Auburn, well known for his discussions on business conditions, was the guest speaker.

Past Masters night will be observed by the club on the 22nd of February, at the Oxford Lodge. Due observance will be made of the Bi-centennial of the Birth of George Washington at this time. Work in the Master Mason degree by the Past Masters, followed by a buffet lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. C. Leavitt returned from Orono, Me., Tuesday, Feb. 15, where they were called to attend the funeral of Mrs. Leavitt's father, J. Y. Keizer. They were accompanied by Mrs. Leavitt's two sisters, Mrs. Harry and Bert Whittemore of West Roxbury and Ashland, Mass.

William E. Wetherbee of Mechanic Falls pleaded guilty of driving at speed not reasonable and proper. He paid a fine of \$5.00 and cost, and was discharged. The hearing was Monday in the Norway Municipal Court, before Judge Harry M. Shaw. State Highway Officer W. Stanley Haskell was the complainant.

Figures From Original Records

In last week's issue of the Norway Advertiser, the total expenditure for schools was given, for representative years 1919, 1922, 1926 and 1930. These expenditures as printed were approximately accurate, but gave only one side of the picture. When we consider the increased value of the school plant, the increased enrollment in both elementary, high schools, and the enrichment of the curriculum, together with the increased source of revenue outside of the town appropriation, the appropriation by the town for maintaining our schools is not exorbitant.

These figures which follow are taken from original records and should be of far more value to the reader than unexplained totals taken from a printed report.

Year	Total Expenditures	Town Appropriation	Received from State	Received from Other Sources	Unexp. Balance	Number of Pupils	Per capita cost	High Elem.	Low Elem.
1919	\$24,239.57	\$16,950.00	\$ 5,784.20	\$ 7,505.37	\$ 36.13	138	\$ 174.90	\$ 88.80	\$ 28.41
1922	35,800.31	22,650.00	8,950.76	1,734.00	13,869.79	2,280.52	157	79.60	53.08
1926	45,909.58	33,500.00	9,691.27	1,609.00	2,776.04	12,485.40	162	110.17	61.75
1930	51,183.31	38,600.00	10,589.72	2,560.00	1,860.74	15,510.46	203	110.00	57.06

Superior Court

Civil Cases On Trial

The first civil case was heard Thursday, being Eddie Kaustinen vs. Sam Hinder and John Hinder, trustees. This was a suit for damages brought under the statute which makes the person who sells or gives liquor to another person responsible for the damage done as the result.

This suit was another chapter in the Waterloo shooting case on Dec. 23, 1930, which followed a pre-Christmas drinking party on Hender Hill. On that day John Kaustinen, accompanied by the boy, Eddie, who is the plaintiff in this action, drove to the Hinder house, and the father became much intoxicated. Late in the afternoon he was shot and instantly killed in the kitchen of the Hinder house by Mrs. Hinder, using a shot gun loaded with a single for deer.

At the February term of court at South Paris, Mrs. Hinder was tried on the charge of murder. She alleged that she shot Kaustinen in self-defense while repelling an assault upon her, and as stated above, she was acquitted. A number of the witnesses were Finnish and Rev. George Antio was employed as court interpreter. George A. Hutchins and Peter MacDonald of Rumford were attorneys for the defense. Judge Matthew McCarthy of Rumford and Robert B. Dow of Norway for the defense.

A settlement out of court was made, and the case was dropped. The jury with the exception of Kalandro of Rumford, indicted for assault with intent to kill, upon Mrs. Bernice Belinski, also of Rumford, was pronounced guilty by a six-judge jury in the county jail. The affair occurred in Rumford, Dec. 13, at a house on Waldo street, where Kalandro owed a bill for room rent.

There also are some other things revealing the degree to which thoughts about taxation are permeating the people's minds.

TRIP NORWAY TOWN EXPENSES

First looking at Mr. Smith's table of Norway town costs, a few percentages are readily worked out, of comparison between 1919 and 1930.

Schools increased 111%.
Roads, etc., increased 77%.
Pauper expense increased 42%.
General expense increased 125%.
Total town expenses increased 99%.

COST OF SCHOOLS

The cost of schools in the eleven years from 1919 to 1930 increased 111% in Norway. The principle item is a group of expenses—common schools, high school, text books, supplies. Perhaps if the school committee could get together and have specified separately, might throw a little light, but only a little on the distribution of the moneys.

There are many persons who feel that it is a mistake to furnish the text books at the expense of the taxpayers and it certainly has resulted in children and parents not caring for the books as was done when they were an expense to the families instead of the taxpayers.

It has been said that the books cost the taxpayers nearly twice as much as they would cost the parents and this in spite of the fact that they are now bought at wholesale prices and as a family expense would be at retail prices.

Your letter from "An Interested Taxpayer" says of this item, "The school supply account can be saved if the town will vote that the parents furnish all that is needed."

Can the town vote? Certainly the law prevents any such town action regarding text books. How is it with the furnishing of the other supplies. Chalk for the blackboards was a school expense until the school committee decided to purchase and lead pencils, does the Norway Advertiser still scribble paper for the schools? It may be, Mr. Editor that this question better not be printed, as the school and state pencils were criticized as physical nastiness, but were never accused of being unduly expensive.

One great boost to school costs in Norway came about thirty-five years ago when the Legislature abolished the school districts and forced the town to support all the schools in the town. The village and hamlets had been paying for their yearly—thirty-three weeks, if memory is accurate. The rural schools had been mostly getting along with about twenty to twenty-five weeks. The village schools had been having the best of it for the first thirty or more than one-third of the year. The rural schools had almost no surplus.

When it was all dumped into one fund, the town did not at first realize the need for more taxation to bring the rural schools to a par with the village schools in the time given to schooling each year. It did not take long for the town as a whole to use up the village's surplus school funds and then, under the superintendency of the late Dr. Herman L. Bartlett the school year for the whole town had to be cut short because there was not money enough to go the whole school year as anticipated.

The clipping from the Bridgton News suggests a sharper scrutiny of appropriations for schools and explains that school appropriations have been "creeping up for the last few years." They have been increasing during a longer period—during nearly forty years. Plans were made for the school districts and the law to require a longer school year—thirty or more weeks, also the purchasing of text books and more could be mentioned.

"An interested" taxpayer tells how the men of the old school district used to contribute the year's fuel from their own woodlots and deliver it at the schoolhouse at the rate of one cent per cord. They used to have a semi-yearly "bee" for cleaning the schoolhouse. In other districts the men made a "bee" when the schoolhouse needed shingling or painting, etc.

The people of the school districts lost their feeling of responsibility for such things when the districts were abolished and the management was put in the hands of the town's school committee with headquarters in the town hall.

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THE PENNESSEEWASSEE 4-H SEWING CLUB

The Pennesseewassee 4-H Sewing Club answered the roll call, Feb. 13, with a story of Lincoln.

The first year girls who had finished their holders, started their laundry bags. The boys made their own button holders and their dress cases will start pillow slips at the next meeting.

The Valentine party was much enjoyed. There was a Valentine box, games and refreshments.

A judging contest will be held Friday, Feb. 19, with the leader, Mrs. Greenleaf.

Mrs. Katherine Cummings was hostess of the Barton Reading Club, Thursday. Favorite recipes were used for the roll call. The 7:30 P. M. "Home Economics" was given.

Mount Hope Rebekah Lodge will meet Friday evening. Further plans will be made for the Easter sale which takes place on March 2nd. The committee on arrangements for the get-together on the 23rd will report.

Annual Birthday Supper

Ladies of Universalist Church Held Party at Concert Hall, Thursday Evening

The ladies of the First Universalist Church served their annual "Birthday Supper" Thursday evening, Feb. 11, at a large patronage, despite bad traveling. Decorated to represent the twelve months of the year, the tables presented a most attractive appearance. Each table was labeled with an attractive placard, and nearly every place was filled, some of them overflowing, as more birthday dinners seemed to occur in some months than in others.

The January table, presided over by Miss Caroline Downing, was set off with red crepe paper as the border and in the center was a large snow man. Red candles lighted the table.

February, the patriotic month for Lincoln's and Washington's birthdays, carried the proverbial cherry tree for the centerpiece, and the crepe paper decorations were in accord. Mrs. Maud Decester was the hostess.

March was carried out in green for the St. Patrick holiday. All the table appointments were in green with green crepe paper runners. The place cards were hand decorated and carried the date Feb. 11, 1932. Mrs. Marion Holt was the hostess.

The "April Fool Month" was decorated with several "Fool Caps," quite elaborately decorated and vases of pussy willows, just grown. David Klain was the hostess.

May, the month for lilacs, had at its centerpiece a vase of white lilacs and pink roses. The table runner was pink and white. Mrs. Rosamund Curtis, Mrs. Elita Lehto and Mrs. Anna Riecher were the hostesses.

June, the month of roses, had a table cover of pink roses and the centerpiece was a vase of roses. A large candlestick carried three red candles. Mrs. Inez Hill, Mrs. Alice McIntire and Mrs. Bessie Hill were the hostesses.

July was typically a Fourth of July setting with a large cannon cracker all ready to be set off (9) and a line across the table, of small flags. The table cover and napkins carried appropriate decorations. Under the cannon cracker were then appropriate verses. Miss Marion Downing and Mrs. Mary Cole were the hostesses.

August, the mid-summer month, Mrs. Harriet Waite, hostess, was in yellow and pink, with crepe paper runner arranged diagonally across the table. The centerpiece was a pink geranium.

September, the month of golden rod and yellow flowers, was in yellow, the table plaided off with yellow ribbons. The centerpiece was a vase of yellow flowers and yellow candles. The favors were tiny yellow baskets filled with yellow and white mints. Mrs. Abbie Heath and Miss Charlie Tucker were the hostesses.

October, the month of pumpkins, was typically the Fall month. He had his own extension table, table cloth, napkins and dishes. The center runner was in white covered with pumpkins and decorated with green crepe paper runners. The centerpiece was a vase of Chinese lantern flowers. The favors were red apples.

The November table, was presided over by Mrs. Eva Jackson, who was dressed in costume as the Puritan lady. The centerpiece represented Plymouth Rock, bordered with the "mourning" places and hemlocks. Several pilgrims on the landing were emblematic of the first Thanksgiving and Massachusetts, the friend.

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The evening was voted a great success.

Norway Selectmen's Statement

Corrections on the expenses of the Town of Norway for the year 1930 as listed in the Advertiser, February 12, the accounts as printed showed as follows:

Winter Roads.....	\$7,124.55	Received from State.....	\$1,019.84
Third Class Road.....	5,404.53	Received from State.....	2,831.86
Sidewalks.....	3,944.23	Received from State.....	3,944.23
Poor of other Towns, State.....	308.25	Received from Abductors.....	247.55
Police Expense.....	484.51	This due the town, not an exp.....	484.51
Pensions by State.....	907.33	Received from State.....	400.00
Excise Motor Tax.....	123.00	Received from State.....	123.00
Miscellaneous Expenses.....	576.76	Not an expense, Norway.....	576.76
		Corp. share of 1930 Excise tax.....	576.76
		Rec'd from Dog Tax and State.....	361.75

Expenses as published reduced.....\$9,988.70
In regard to the comparison of valuations of 1921 and 1930 which shows an increase of only \$223,149.00 no mention has been made of the loss in valuation by taking the automobiles from the list, in 1929 the records show there were 652 automobiles in town assessed value of \$128,780.00, this amount was taken away from the town valuation in 1930 when the Excise Motor Tax was levied.

The above corrections are made simply as a matter of information to the voters.
RAYMOND H. EASTMAN, Selectman.

Norway Grange

Lincoln Day Observed
Norway Grange held its meeting at 1:30 p. m. There was a big attendance of Norway Grangers and visitors from Bethel, South Paris, Farmington and Litchfield, N. H.

The four Granges previously invited to Norway will be guests at an all day meeting on Feb. 27. There will also be a large class for degree work. A program of singing and music is in progress for entertainment.

Last meetings program opened with "The Grange is Marching On," sung by everyone. The roll call brought many interesting and amusing points of view about Lincoln and many fine quotations. The music committee furnished several fine musical numbers:

Piano Solo.....Oliver H. Holman
Vocal Solo.....Margaret Michie
Vocal Solo.....Margaret Michie
The male quartet sang "The Grange is Marching On" and "The Grange is the best of all we can see, just to the town. Why not? Is there any valid reason for exemption? We fail to see it and are willing to be shown."

Each officer received a comic Valentine verse which he read aloud to everyone.

As a closing number, Rev. Christian Groeninger read Lincoln's Gettysburg Address while an appropriate tableau was shown on the stage.

Mr. Hickford from Bethel Grange told some fine jokes and Mrs. Bancroft, Naumkeag Grange, Litchfield, spoke a few words.

The dinner committee, for the next meeting, has planned a very good menu. Mrs. Edna Watson and Ada Kilgore, Hazel Hunt will have charge of the dining room.

There will be a stated meeting of Oxford Lodge No. 1 Ark Mariners, Wednesday evening, Feb. 24, 7:30 P. M.

Miss Constance Fark will give a piano recital at Concert Hall, Saturday afternoon, Feb. 20, at 2:30, and will be assisted by Miss Josephine Rand, soloist, and Mrs. Pearl C. Kilborn, marimba soloist. The recital is without charge and for the public.

Read The Advertisements

And include the Intelligence Column on page 4.
They are printed there for you.

Norway Farm Bureau

Joint Meeting Held Monday

The Norway Farm Bureau members held a joint meeting Monday at the Grange Hall in the series of Vegetable Garden Meetings for February and March being held in different communities. County Agent Donald H. Ridley and the Home Demonstration Agent, Mrs. Dora Decester, were present to conduct the subjects.

The ladies held a session in the kitchen for demonstration and Mrs. Decester made "Five Minute Cabbage" and Rutabaga turnip salad. Recipes were distributed and she gave a talk on the healthful properties of different vegetables.

The men met with Mr. Ridley, and discussed seed and fertilizer requirements disease and insects that are often scouted.

The ladies joined the men for a discussion on planning for the garden, and slips were distributed to each one on which to make plans for planting the required amounts and allow for the extra for canning. Other kindred subjects were discussed. At noon, a square meal for health was served and the dessert was Washington pies, appropriately decorated. At each plate was a small red hatchet.

On March 10, an extra meeting will be held for basketry and chair seating. Materials should be ordered at once. This meeting will take the place of the one on January 14, which was postponed, owing to the members not ordering their work materials for chair seating.

As Man to Man

A Ray of Light in the Dark

We are not reds or communists. Our forebears had and died for this country. Worse still, we have paid our taxes. We believe war to be useless, simple and idiotic and changes nothing except the map. The best thing for everybody is to get behind the wheel and start to work. We talk about hard times, but moving in prosperous times have farmers had anything but dribbles for all their hard work.

We all know what poor old human nature is. Who among us is going to pass his pocket book over to a stranger and say, "Please give me back what you can." Yet farmers have always been doing this very thing. "Here you take my wheat, my milk and give me what you can."

People are power when they stand together, tremendous, more than they realize for.

Our greatest need at the present time is a means of conveyance the common people can afford. Many families have bought their first automobile and the number is increasing all the time. Yet they are being taxed all the time to build super roads. The way things are going now, the wealthy can afford to ride in a short time.

We know it is no use to sit around and "chatter" or wait for prosperous times. The existing system has established its toe badly on account of greed.

We need home and town industries manned by the unemployed and paid with our produce. Farmers working together and raising enough, but none for the open markets. A notice up too for middle men and "leading financiers" to please keep out. No one to farm the farmers and farmers to work no harder or longer hours than others. Exchanging their good stuff for the things they need and the laborers working in the small shops, going to sleep easy each night, knowing their job is going to last, their children and their food growing. Troubles, trials, mistakes and puzzles! Yes, but they are ahead of us anyway. How thankful we should all be it is not the substance that is lacking instead of the money.

Spring is coming and the rich, brown furrows of earth are going to open up as ready

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BETHEL—GROVER HILL

As the days lengthen the cold seems to be strengthening according to the ancient adage.
Mrs. Clyde L. Whitman, who has been ill with the flu, resulting in a severe attack of pleurisy, is more comfortable.
Fred Maudslow, who has been moving from the late A. B. Grover farm, where they harvested it last season. The place is now occupied by John Swan and family, who moved there last fall.
Mr. and Mrs. Eldon C. Mills are both afflicted with grip cold.
Maurice F. Tyler, who has been ill with the flu since Thursday, Feb. 4, when a physician was called, is more comfortable at the present time. Evander B. Whitman conveys the school children for Mr. Tyler during his illness.
Evelyn Whitman was at home from Goulds, Saturday and Sunday and did much to aid in the household duties for her mother, who is ill. Whitman was also home, Saturday night and Sunday, returning to attend to his duties, Sunday evening.
Cleveland Waterhouse, who has employment in Peru, expects to have work until the middle of March, if sliding lasts.
Fred E. Wheeler has been having cold wood yarded for market.
Mrs. Frank Abbott and Mrs. Erva Gott from Skillington were recent guests at J. B. Abbott's.
E. B. Whitman was confined to the home with a severe cold, Saturday and Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Karl J. Stearns were in Rumford, Wednesday afternoon and attended a Grange card party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elton Dacey that evening.

BETHEL—SONGO ROAD

H. T. Savin has been ill with the flu. Mrs. Lois Morrill is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Daley of East Bethel.
Rosealine Morrill met with a painful accident, Sunday afternoon, while skating at the Haggard pond. She fell and dislocated her left hip. A physician was called and she was taken in Greenleaf's ambulance to the Community Hospital at Rumford. X-ray pictures were taken and her hip was put back in place. She will probably remain at the hospital the rest of the week.
Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Morrill and son, Edwin, and Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Tuman were in Rumford, Monday.
Rodney Andrews was the guest of Hill Road Bartlett, Monday. He was his sixth birthday and he is the proud owner of a brand new sled, given him by his father.

WEST PARIS—TRAP CORNER

Mrs. Annie Gee, who has been caring for L. F. Everett, has returned to South Paris. Mr. Everett is gaining slowly.
Impi Pulkkinen is going to work for Mrs. Lewis Bates.
Recent callers at L. F. Everett's were Mrs. Hattie Edwards, W. O. Frothingham, of South Paris, and Oscar Frost of Norway.
News has been received of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. I. F. Gammon of Hartford. Mrs. Gammon was Miss Doris Beck of this place.
Lawrence Whitman and Thomas Verhill were in Portland, recently.
John Ross has been hauling wood for Leroy Everett.
Mrs. Fred Beck visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Kimball, and sister, Mrs. Littlehale, recently.
Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Berry of Wymon Dam called at A. E. Emery's, Saturday.
Mrs. Augusta Hammond has been visiting her sister, Mrs. E. B. Davis.
Mrs. Fred Beck was at North Paris, Friday night, with her daughter, Mrs. Leah MacDonald, who is ill with measles and on Saturday she was called to South Paris by the illness of Emory Jordan.
Elroy Dean spent Tuesday night with Henry Dean and family at South Paris. Arthur Dean is boarding at Earle Treway's.
Miss Edna Gurney is visiting at G. L. Briggs'.
Mrs. Lawrence Heikinen is boarding at Mrs. Katie Mikkonen's. Mrs. Heikinen was there, Friday.
Mildred Hazelton has returned from the C. M. G. Hospital and is with her mother, Mr. Arthur Stevens.

NORTH PARIS

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Bonney are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Feb. 11. She has been named Joan Maudie.
Those having one hundred in spelling for week ending Feb. 12 in the primary room: Lucille Andrews, Elvi Komulainen, Elsie McKee, Maurice Pierce, Iva Farris, Susie Ellingwood, grammar room: Mrs. McKee, Elsie McKee, Annie McKee, Myron Pierce, Harold Andrews, Miina Komulainen, Evelyn Ellingwood, Isabel Farris. A Valentine box was opened in each room, Friday afternoon.
Miss Marion Perkins is visiting this week in Boston.
Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Cole of West Paris were Sunday visitors of her mother, Mrs. S. I. Wheeler.
Among the new cases of measles are: George Gibbs, Leah McDonald, Marion Ellingwood and George Noyes.
Mrs. Ada Ballentine and two children of Bethel were in town one day last week, calling on relatives.
Mrs. Sadie Silver, Mr. and Mrs. Bernadine Jackson and daughter of South Paris were Sunday guests at Charlie Childs'.
Mrs. D. H. Perkins attended the Bates Literary Club at West Paris, Friday afternoon.
Mrs. Jessie Abbott was in Norway and South Paris, Saturday.

GILEAD

Mrs. Herbert Arenberg is confined to her home by illness.
Edward Holden and Miss Tena Bergen were visitors in Berlin, N. H., on Thursday.
Miss Priscilla Curtis of Gorham, N. H., is assisting in the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Susie Arenberg.
A. A. Newell, engineer at Leighton's mill, fell last Friday morning, injuring several ribs.
Dr. Johnson of Gorham, N. H., was in town, recently.
Mrs. Fred Goodnow is much improved from her recent illness.
Harold Bartlett and Richard Carter spent the week end at their home in Bethel.
Herbert Wheeler of Peru is spending a few days at his home here.
Carl Richardson was a business visitor in Berlin, N. H., Thursday.

NEWRY

Walter and Rexford Powers were in North Newry last Saturday with a load of logs for Wight's mill.
Carl Hakala has taken another job at Andover and has a crew going into the woods to work soon.
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sivola of Lewiston were in town last week.
A doctor from Bethel was in town last Friday to attend Mrs. Harry Powers' broken ankle. The cast had become loose so he put on a new one. She is comfortable.
George Learned has bought a truck. He and Charles Carter have finished work for James Barnest of Upton.
Mrs. D. C. Smith was at L. E. Wight's one day last week, on business.

NORTH WOODSTOCK

Josephine Thurlow spent a few days recently with Mrs. George Cushman. Francis Cole has been sick with a cold. He has had an abscess in his head but it is better now.
Hanno Cushman spent Friday at the home of Willis McGuire of West Peru. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Geroux and daughter Catherine, of Rumford, are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. George Davis.
Mr. and Mrs. George Cushman and Mrs. Alex Miller were in Norway on business, Friday.
The monthly meeting of the North Woodstock School Improvement League was held Friday, February 12. Officers were elected for the new half year as follows:

President—Herschel Abbott.
Vice President—Beatrice Cushman.
Secretary—Ada Walker.
Treasurer—Arline Buck.
There were also committees elected for refreshments and program. For refreshments, Elwell Hardy; for program, Arline Buck. The children enjoyed a Valentine box. The following interesting program was presented:
Recitation—Pauline Brown.
Song—Arline Buck, Beatrice Cushman, Elwell Hardy, Arline Buck, Elwell Hardy.
Recitation—Seven Children.
Exercise—Sue Walker.
Brynn Barrett, Lettie Davis, Mildred Buck and Elva Abbott.
Recitation—Kenneth Buck.
Refreshments of candy and popcorn were served.
Miss Bessie Cushman spent the week end with her aunt, Mrs. Ralph Spencer, of Auburn.
Mrs. John Hemmingway has returned to her home after visiting friends at Lewiston.
Mr. and Mrs. Louis Geroux and daughter Catherine of Rumford and Mrs. Alex Miller spent Saturday night at Mr. and Mrs. George Cushman's. Mr. and Mrs. Geroux and daughter also spent Saturday afternoon with her sister, Mrs. Alex Miller.
Mrs. Josephine Thurlow returned to her home, Friday, after a few days visit at George Cushman's.
Willis McGuire of West Peru spent a few days recently with his friend, Hanno Cushman.
Misses Amy and Maude Stevens are sick with colds. Their sister, Alice, is better, after having a cold and has returned to school.
William Shubert, Mr. Beauchain and Alex Miller were callers at George Cushman's and Leona Miller's, one day recently.
Dwight Oldham, Kenneth Roberts and Robert McGuire were Sunday visitors at George Cushman's. Willis McGuire returned home with them.
Arline Cushman, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Cushman, has been ill with a cold and stomach trouble.
Many around here are suffering with bad colds.

Winter sports of sliding, skating and skiing are being enjoyed.
Maxine Fuller has recently purchased a new piano.
Alex Miller spent the week end with his wife, Leona Miller.
Miss Emma Cushman has been home from school the past week on account of illness after the inoculation for diphtheria.
Mrs. Leona Miller called on Francis Cole, last Friday.
Miss Emma Davis, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Davis, has been sick with cold, but is now able to be out around again.
Mrs. Ina Jordan has been sick with a cold.
Herschel Abbott spent one evening recently with Arthur Whitman.
Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Davis and Mildred Buck were in Norway on business, one day recently.
Elwell Hardy and Francis Penley were unable to attend school part of the week.

NEWRY CORNER

The selectmen and treasurer of the town of Hanover have been at work on the town reports the past week.
Miss Gwendolyn Godwin is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hudson at Keene, N. H., for several days.
Misses Marion and Eleanor Learned spent Saturday with Mrs. Grace Arsenault.
The next whist party to be given by Bear River Grange is to be held at the home of Chesley Saunders, at Hanover.
Mrs. Selma McPherson was home from Norway over the week end.
George Learned has purchased a truck and is hauling birch from Howard's Pond.
Miss Lois Morrill of Bethel is assisting in the home of Carl Godwin.

GREENWOOD CITY

Roy Morgan and family spent Sunday, Feb. 7, with his sister, Cora Bennett, at Locke Mills.
Frank Littlefield spent the week end, recently, at A. M. Whitman's. Those sick with measles around here are Ruby Rogers and two little sons, also Beryl and Sheryl Ring.
James Whitman was absent from school Feb. 8, on account of a bad cold. A. M. Whitman remains about the same.
The Omen has been absent from high school last week; she had been having the measles and returned to her school too soon.
Merl Whitman spent the week end, recently, in Brownfield, at the home of Harry Brooks.
Theodore Whitman and Herbert Brooks also Toivo Lehto were callers at A. M. Whitman's, Saturday evening, Feb. 6, at 6 o'clock.
Maurice Benson of Woodstock is hauling long lumber from Greenwood town farm to L. M. Mann & Son's, West Paris, for John Ring; he is cutting this lumber with Roy Morgan helping him.
Fred and Helen Curtis, also Clyde Morgan were in Norway, recently. Our road commissioner, Will Yates, appeared on Feb. 8 with his truck fixed up to open the roads. We all think the old horses pleased, as it is no easy job for them and he can break much more road in the same amount of time and it don't seem as if it ought to cost as much.

NORTH NEWRY

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Enman were supper guests of Hartley Hanscom, Thursday.
Mrs. Robert Cole of Locke Mills visited her mother from Friday until Sunday, when Robert Cole, Hazel and Roger Hanscom came after her.
Hartley Hanscom has gone with his team to East Andover to work for Dave Enman.
S. T. Tripp and Harry Powers were at L. E. Wight's several days last week, making out town reports.
A student from Gorham Normal brought Daniel Wight home over the week end.
Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Morton went to Bethel, recently.
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence McCully and daughter and mother from Farmington visited their daughter at Mrs. Fred Kilgore's, Sunday and attended church services.
Mrs. Hartley Hanscom and Ruth were in Bethel, Sunday.
Fred and Lon Wight with John Vail are putting in their ice. George Wight is home from Gould's for two weeks.
Miss Carrie M. Wight has arrived home from Massachusetts, where she has been visiting for several weeks.
Fred Kilgore has finished his job and moved his camp home. He was in Bethel, recently.

BRYANT POND

Jefferson Chapter, O. E. S., held their installation Thursday evening, Feb. 11. It was public to the families and invited guests. A chicken supper was served at 6:30. Past Worthy Grand Master, Emma B. Howe, assisted by Mrs. Fred Dunham as Marshal, installed the officers in a very efficient manner as follows:
W. M.—Bertha Davis.
M. J.—Alice Mann.
A. M.—Sylvia Judkins.
Past Worthy—Mrs. J. P. Felt.
Secretary—Ida Farnum.
Treasurer—Florence Cushman.
Cond.—Dorothy Billings.
A. Cond.—Marguerite Ervin.
Chaplain—Edna Abbott.
Marshal—Bessie Billings.
Pinial—Dress Stovel.
Wardens—Elvira Littlehale.
Sentinel—Andrew Cummings.
Aids—Bliss Cole.
Rush—Annie Bryant.
Edgar—Neil Cummings.
Marta—Jennette Tibbels.
Elects—Addie Mann.
In behalf of the chapter, W. M. Bertha Davis presented Bessie Billings with a Past Master's jewel, also in her own behalf she presented her with a bouquet of roses. The chapter gave the installing officer and Marshal gifts.
The high school presented their drama, "Mary Gold", Friday night, Feb. 19.
The next Farm Bureau meeting will be Feb. 26, the subject, Vegetables for Health.
Mrs. Leslie Abbott spent the week end in Auburn with her husband, at her brother Robert Cushman's. Mr. Abbott came home with her Monday night, but he will have to go back occasionally to have his ear treated. He is very much improved.
Mrs. Frank Cushman and Mrs. Della Berry both have been sick with the flu, but are improving.
Mrs. Mary Cole spent the day in Bethel, Tuesday.
Charles Mason was in South Paris last Thursday to see his father, George Mason, who is ill.
Mrs. Claude Cushman spent Friday with her aunt, Mrs. Lena Bubler, at South Paris.
Dana Dudley was in Augusta last Thursday on business.
Mrs. Josie Thurlow has been visiting Mrs. George Cushman, a few days the past week.
Mrs. Ben Vittum has been sick with the gripe.
Guy Morgan of Bethel has been through this vicinity reading the electric light meters.
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Noyes and family of South Paris called on his mother, Mrs. Addie Noyes, last Sunday.
Mrs. Lester Bryant and daughter, Louisa, were in Norway last Tuesday and called to see her mother, Mrs. Charles Herick.
Leon Hadley of West Paris called on his sister, Mrs. Claude Cushman, last Saturday.

LOCKE'S MILLS

Herbert Mason, who is in the Rumford Community Hospital, is recovering from an operation.
Misses Louie Peabody and Gladys Salls visited the Bethel schools, Friday.
The schools had their Valentine box and party, Monday afternoon.
A large number of people have been ill lately with grippe.
Gladys Salls was a supper guest of Florence Ring, one night last week.
Those who attended the Western Star installation and chicken pie supper at Bryant Pond, Thursday night, were Mr. and Mrs. Owen Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ring, Mrs. Donald Tebbets, Gladys Salls, Louie Peabody and Mrs. Cora Crockett.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mason and children were guests of Mrs. Rose Mason, Friday.

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SOUTH WOODSTOCK

Mrs. Clorie Pingree of Sandy Creek, Bridgeport, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Olive Davis.
Mrs. Sylvester Bates has moved to the home of her granddaughter, Mrs. Gaydon Davis, where she will make her home for the present.
Mrs. Mary Felt spent two days last week with her brothers, Ernest and Lamont Brooks in Greenwood.
Mrs. Caroline Ebbeler has returned to her work at A. M. Andrews'. Mrs. Elsie Bonney, who has been there has returned to Sumner.
Stanley Andrews is home from his school at Auburn, sick with the prevailing epidemic.
Laurant Pingree, Bridgeport, spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Elsie Davis. Leon Poland and son, Leon, Jr., are confined to their beds with the flu. Alta Hendrickson, Helvi Heikinen, Mrs. Martha Heikinen, Mrs. Jessie Andrews have been sick, but are now getting better. Mrs. Angie Robbins of Mechanic Falls is helping Mrs. Jessie Andrews.
Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Q. Perham, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Perham, Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Davis and Robert Farrington attended the O. E. S. installation at Bryant Pond, Thursday.
Robert Farrington was in Auburn, Monday, Feb. 15, on business.
Mrs. Leslie Abbott is stopping with her daughter at Trap Corner. She is in poor health.
Eddie Jacobson of North Norway is working for Benson & Wilson, driving a team.

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ALBANY

Mrs. John Meserve has returned from Locke Mills. Mrs. Inez Bean was there a few days helping care for George Cummings.
Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Donahue were Sunday guests at Fred Scribner's, Feb. 7.
Miss Pauline Ripley of Norway spent the week end, recently, with Miss Hilda Logan.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gorman and daughter, Elizabeth, were Sunday guests at A. B. Kimball's, Feb. 7.
Miss Helen Farmer has gone to Portland to visit her brother.
E. O. Donahue was at South Paris last week, serving on the travers jury.
Miss Morris Kimball spent Sunday, Feb. 7, at her home here.

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Concrete Surface, four sections, as follows:
P. A. Project 110-G, Carmel and Hermon, 5.38 miles; P. A. Project 152-B, Gorham and Standish, 8.66 miles; P. A. Project 140-A, Clinton, Bethel and West Paris, 14.00 miles; P. A. Project 135-C, Forten, 3.14 miles.
Gravel Surface, one section as follows:
P. A. Project 135-C, Forten, 3.14 miles.
All proposals must be made upon the blank form provided by the Commission for a copy of which a payment of \$1.00 will be required. Plans may be seen and forms of specifications and contract may be obtained at the office of the Commission, Augusta, Maine.
All other assets143,921.97
Dated at Augusta, Maine, February 16, 1932.

Condensed Statement

FIDELITY AND DEPOSIT CO. OF MARYLAND

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1931

Real Estate \$2,574,450.00

Mortgages 143,921.97

Stocks and Bonds 18,813,248.71

Cash in Office and Bank 716,779.85

Agents' Balances 2,051,689.26

Cash Capital 5,182.88

Interest and Rents 143,921.97

All other Assets 143,921.97

Total Assets \$24,454,900.47

Liabilities 369,149.30

Admitted \$24,085,751.17

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1931

Net Unpaid Losses \$3,189,028.42

Unearned Premiums 6,650,901.76

All other liabilities 6,600,000.00

Cash Capital 3,365,989.26

Heard and Seen at Advertiser Office

The Atlantic Filling Station opens Saturday, Feb. 20, at the corner of Main and Whitman Streets. I. L. Purinton, proprietor. See ad in this issue.

Charles Bradford brought in a large lens with green shade, Wednesday morning, lost from a headlight of some automobile. This was found on Main St. and owner will find same at Advertiser Office.

A Lincoln Campaign Poster of 1860 has been brought from long concealment by H. F. Fletcher of Lynn, Mass., who recently discovered he possessed a valuable bit of political and historical material. The poster was used in the campaign of 1860 and contains two large ovals containing the portraits of Abraham Lincoln and Hannibal Hamlin. Across the top is a banner with the inscription, "The Union Must and Shall be Preserved." There are other inscriptions which were slogans familiar in Lincoln's territory. This information was furnished by Mrs. Maford Mann, daughter of Mr. Fletcher, owner of the relic.

Osmun W. Brown, the well known Lynn newspaper man was elected president of the Lynn Press Club, Feb. 11. The election was by acclamation and marked the first time in the history of the club that the president has been thus chosen. Brown is apparently popular with the crowd to win the high seat with this enviable record. We quote the following from the "Telegram News" (Lynn, Mass.): "The newly-elected president was born in Norway, Me., where he learned the printing trade by serving an apprenticeship in the office of the Norway, Oxford County Advertiser. His first writing was personal picked up on the street, and after writing special stories for Sunday newspapers he went to New York, where he was employed by the general work by the New York World and the New York American. Later Mr. Brown worked on the Boston Traveler, and after coming to Lynn was employed on the item and the News before the latter was acquired by Frederick W. Wright and became the Telegram News. Besides being a copy reader on the Telegram News, Mr. Brown has been district correspondent for the Boston Herald for sixteen years. He is married, his wife, May A. Brown, being a prominent member of the Lynn Women's Club and the Y. W. C. A. and other organizations."

Daniel Webster in March, 1832, in Washington, D. C. was farm manager at Franklin, N. H., and in closing said:

"I think I never wrote you a word before on politics. I shall now do so. I only say—love your country, and your whole country; and when men attempt to persuade you, to get you into a quarrel with the general work by the New York World and the New York American. Later Mr. Brown worked on the Boston Traveler, and after coming to Lynn was employed on the item and the News before the latter was acquired by Frederick W. Wright and became the Telegram News. Besides being a copy reader on the Telegram News, Mr. Brown has been district correspondent for the Boston Herald for sixteen years. He is married, his wife, May A. Brown, being a prominent member of the Lynn Women's Club and the Y. W. C. A. and other organizations."

"John Taylor, you are a free man; you possess good principles; you have a large family to provide for by your labor. Be thankful to the government which does not oppress you, which does not bear you down by excessive taxation, but which holds out to you and to yours the hope of all the blessings which liberty, industry and security may give."

John Taylor, thank God morning and evening that you were born in such a country.

"John Taylor, never write me another word about politics. Give me kindest remembrances to your wife and children, and when you look from your eastern windows upon the graves of my family, remember that he who is the author of this letter must soon follow them to another world."

—Journal-Transcript.

Webster probably kept his promise as he died that year. But whether Dan had now say about taxes and the government were he living?

It seems that Walter Sanborn, editor of the North Star Reporter of Lansdale, follows our advice in this instance. He declined a nomination to Congress. The Philadelphia Inquirer has this to say: "It is a case where both editors are right. Brother E. B. Moser of the Collegeville Independent nominates for Congress, Brother Walter Sanborn, the Horace Greeley of Lansdale's North Star."

"And in his usual terse style, Brother Sanborn declines that honor. Which makes it unanimous with all three of us."

"Brother Moser, dwelling in the rarefied atmosphere of Ursinus College, had a noble thought in suggesting the Argus-eyed Sanborn for a berth at Washington."

"But the Lansdale editor, having when a boy breathed the independent oxygen of Norway, Maine—rejoice in memories of Artemus Ward—said in it nothing but what Artemus was wont to call a 'joke'."

"You can, and the people do pick up a Congressman any old place. As for Lincoln put the same thought: 'He could make a brigadier general with a stroke of the pen, but he required three long years to produce a good mule'."

"So I'm glad Brother Sanborn declined the honor so generously tendered to him by Brother Moser."

"It is said the bulls, bears and lambs of Wall street all fell alike as they most certainly look alike."

"And the way these Montgomery editors can lie down together with no thought of gall or wormwood in their hearts is beautiful."

Don C. Seitz of New York says: "That table of Fred Smith's is mighty interesting and could have been made more so by a comparison of population and assessed values with 1919. Have him fix one up. The tax-exempt have become the curse of the land and the schools the biggest feeders."

Went over Sunday evening to uplift the Town Hall Club and was pleased to meet there that granddaughter of Dexter Hawkins who used to spend her summer in Norway with her Aunt Adeline. Not much doing here. Presume the presidential election will spoil the year."

Seems to be no doubt of Hoover's re-nomination; the miserable Republicans have no one to oust him with unless they should commander Coolidge, which is a most improbable alternative. Roosevelt has the lead with the Democrats, but Smith is acting mischievously and almost anything can happen. Personally I think Roosevelt is the best man to be elected. Several articles were required to close a bad gash. He lives at the Phi Mu Delta fraternity house."

Schools, Taxes and Town Meetings

Things That Should Be Done

In looking through my last week's Advertiser I was much interested in the piece about schools.

It is about the right time to publish such a piece, so to raise larger sums of money.

Why wouldn't it be a good idea when all over the world hard times are prevailing and people are taxed beyond all endurance, and everything looks darker than ever before. To cut out big appropriations to our schools and school officials' salaries down to compare with the cuts other people are taking? Why harp on our teachers? The town of Paris has as high paid teachers as any town and as good as any, but after all money cannot buy brains.

Our roads need work done on them to make them passable, bushes cut so children can go to school and not get lost side of the road.

One thing I do think almost every sensible voter would be interested in would be to cut our expenses instead of raising money.

Who does the big appropriations come to? Not the factory men all together. It is the farmers. I judge the one writing the piece about schools in our last paper must be a man with a little school of his own.

Conditions will never be any better until men only paying a \$3.00 poll tax are shut out from voting for big expensive things for the town. All our mills are closed town meeting day, so to give all the men a chance to vote. But they have to vote about so I guess. Allow me to have a word to say without the thought they are being ridiculed. Why let two or three men entertain as long as they wish and voters not allowed to speak.

Our meeting is out at 2 o'clock. Give more time to discussing our town's business and go home a little later and better satisfied. Furthermore why are our town affairs blind men on an elephant, and no one seems to be able or wish to make them any clearer. No one ever comes home feeling they have had any better insight on any business affair.

Lets get together this year and copy our towns adjoining and allow everyone free speech and it may help—two heads are better than one.

—A Reader of the Advertiser.

Pythians' Novelty Minstrels

To Be Presented Next Wednesday

A musical show in the form of a minstrel entertainment will be presented in Norway Opera House, Wednesday evening, Feb. 24, 8 o'clock.

The results of the Ramfjord State winter sport meet are as follows: Norway winning fourth place: Ski Dash, second, W. Brown. Ski 2 mile, second, L. Yeston. Relay, 2nd, Gledy, Scribner. Snowshoes: Yeston, Brown.

At the Waterford Carnival Norway scored first place. Ski jump, 2nd, White; third, Yeston. Snowshoe Dash: 2nd, Scribner; 3rd, Gledy. Ski Dash: 1st, Yeston; 2nd, Brown. Mile Snowshoe: 1st, Brown; 2nd, Mile Ski, 2nd, Yeston.

The boys' basketball team is sure to go to Portland tomorrow, having won all league games so far with only one more to play. The last game will be played at South Paris next Friday, Feb. 26.

A debate was held at the last Future Farmers' Club meeting. Contestants were Stanley Bacheider and Harry Anderson debating for Jersey Cows vs. the Oxford House and Francis Doy for the Holsteins. Contestants debating for the Jersey Cows were the winners.

A Junior High party was held in the gym last Thursday evening. There were about fifty present. All had a very enjoyable time.

Credit for the drawings and the lettering in the third issue of the Commercial Club News belongs to Olive Martin and Athalia Perry.

The geography class are making postcards illustrating various industries are centered. Mrs. Ledger, Mr. Sampson and Miss Leeman will be the judges and a prize will be given for the best poster.

Lawrence Yeston has won the 60 word typing award and Ina Tervo the 50 word award. Leland Witham and Ina Tervo are winners of the transcription tests this month.

Lila Emerson won the Competent Typist Certificate given by the Gregg Writing School for a speed of more than 40 words per minute with less than five errors. Olive Martin also increased her speed six words per minute over her other C. T. award and received an advanced certificate. Helvi Seilonen and George Haskell are now added to our list of Commercial Club members.

Pauline Ripley and Edward Wiley had the best speed tests for Sophomores for the last week. Best accuracy in this class goes to Carl Brown and George Sampson, with two errors each, for a period of 10 minutes typing.

The Senior typing class is doing secretarial work for the Agricultural Department, the Cadet Board, the French Department and the Faculty. The typing students saw a two-reel movie on Tuesday afternoon, put out by the Royal Typewriter Company, showing how typewriters are manufactured and assembled, and a demonstration of how to develop speed and accuracy on the typewriter.

Daniel Dulles, of the Senior typing class, had the best speed and accuracy in speed tests, for the past week.

Gerald Truman, a Sophomore, made a very artistic poster to be hung in the typewriting room on which will be recorded all awards won by students during the time since they began school in September.

Very good envelope tests were passed on Wednesday, by the Junior typing class, the best were those of Dorothy Pratt, Christine Nelson, Lillian Heikkinen and Lila Emerson. Dorothy Millett, Beatrice Gallant, Rexford Watte.

The applications of two of our Commercial Department Alumnae to take Civil Service Exams in Shortland and Typing have been accepted and the girls will report in Lewiston on February 23 to take them. The girls are Miss Enid Dulles and Miss Alice Lafrance. Miss Mildred Gould has also filed her application, and was accepted and took the examination about a month ago.

A. W. Thomas of Andover, a former resident of Norway and Oxford, passed away Tuesday night at the age of eighty-one years. Mr. Thomas was formerly proprietor of the Locust Inn on Crockett Ridge and was well known in town.

Kenneth Aldrich, who is attending the University of Maine, is making good recovery from an injury to his knee which he sustained while playing football. Several stitches were required to close a bad gash. He lives at the Phi Mu Delta fraternity house."

Norway Churches

Congregational

Sunday school, 10 a. m., morning service 11 a. m., music by the vested choir. Mr. Groginger will preach on "The Day of Confession" in the second sermon of Lenten series based on the days of the last week in the life of our Lord.

Y. P. S. S. 6 p. m. This will be a Washington meeting under the leadership of Mr. Groginger. Next Sunday the society is to have the privilege of hearing Judge Harry Shaw of the Municipal Court speak on Court Procedure.

The Wednesday night devotional service will be held in the home of Miss Maud Russell at 7 o'clock.

A public supper will be served by the Young People's Society Thursday, Feb. 25, at 6 p. m. An interesting entertainment will follow.

February 25th, there will be a public supper with music and literary entertainment at the Congregational Church, under the auspices of the Y. P. S. S. of the Congregational Church. Supper at 6:45, menu: baked beans, hot rolls, salads, cake doughnuts, coffee and mustard pie. Entertainment program at 8:15 sharp.

Orchestra Music

Rain Selection

First Solo: Fred Raymond, George G. Groginger, Fred Raymond, Ralph Akroy, Misses R. Sharon, E. Klein, O. Michie, G. Groginger, Solo

Harlan Holman, Solo

Reading: Miss Verna Leadbetter, S. Paris

Orchestra Selection

Baptist

Thursday: C. E. 7:30, topic, "What Jesus Teaches About Faithfulness."

Sunday: Morning worship at 10:45 with sermon by the pastor. Bible school at 12, evening meeting at 7.

At the Congregational Church, the department will meet with Mrs. Eva Abbott, Cottage street at 7:15. Hostess for the evening, Gertrude Cox. Everyone welcome.

Universalist

Morning worship at 10 o'clock, Sunday. Rev. Conrad B. Rheiner, the minister, will present a special service at the home of the Washington Bi-Centennial on the question: "If Washington Were Alive Today, Where Would He Stand?" The Universalist vested choir will sing the hymns, "Lord is in His Temple" (Fred B. Holton) and the prayer response, "Blessed Father We Pray" (Brahms).

A parish get-together will be held on Thursday evening, Feb. 18, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Heath on Main street. All members and friends of the parish are invited.

The annual winter get-together for members of all departments of the Sunday school will be held at Mothers' Club Hall. Everyone will meet at the vestry on Saturday, Feb. 20, at 10:00 a. m. Transportation will be provided for those unable to hike. You are asked to bring your lunch. Rev. Conrad B. Rheiner and Mrs. Grace, wife and son, of Ossipee, N. H., were Sunday callers at W. E. Berry's. Ernest Grace, who has been visiting the Berrys, returned home with them.

The Y. P. C. U. will meet Sunday evening at 6 o'clock with Pannce Pendexter as leader.

The Men's Club will meet in Concert Hall, Thursday evening, Feb. 25, for their monthly meeting. Fred E. DeGroot has charge of the supper and Rev. C. B. Rheiner the entertainment.

The annual church meeting will be held Wednesday evening, March 2, at 7 o'clock. The date set for the annual men's supper and entertainment. Ernest Jackson and Frank Beck have charge of the supper and the pastor, the entertainment.

The Ladies' Sewing Circle will meet Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Stephen B. Cummings, and work will be continued for needy families. A social hour will also be enjoyed.

This Thursday evening is the Parish get-together at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Heath, and a large gathering is anticipated and hoped for, as these gatherings have all been very enjoyable. Supper will be served at the usual hour, and those not solicited may carry pastry.

Methodist

10:30 morning service with message by the pastor. The evening service commences at 7 o'clock. The junior choir will sing a special selection. The evening address will be another one in the series of miracles of the Lord. Last Sunday morning there was a good attendance and the true signs of the times are that the morning preaching hours are growing in numbers. The minister brings a faithful message from God's Word and the response is quite commendable. The miracle series is one that has already begun to attract attention. Last Sunday evening the first miracle in the series of miracles was splendidly told and reviewed and a second miracle story is eagerly anticipated by those who were present.

The Fourth Quarterly Conference of the Epworth League will be held at the parish supper and the Rev. Mr. Garland, the district superintendent, will preside. Written reports will be submitted for the year's work.

The annual supper and entertainment of the Methodist church is all planned for the evening of Wednesday, March 2. The date of the tickets which include both supper and entertainment are now in the hands of the Methodist folks. A big evening is anticipated. The minister, Rev. Lyon, has written a little interesting sketch on what he terms "The Pastor's Dream of Home."

The Epworth League is under the new year's program. Mrs. Florence Card is the newly chosen president. This is an institution that builds the character foundation of the young people. A big attendance is on hand each Sabbath evening at 6:15 with various speakers, but this is a time for more folks to join with us in Community Hall at this hour.

The election of delegates to the annual conference will be in order next Sunday morning, Feb. 25, in the hall of the Epworth League. R. D. Gould has been chosen judge and Miss Gertrude Howard and Arthur Morgan will act as tellers.

The Monday Club was entertained on Monday afternoon by Mrs. H. F. Andrews, with two tables at play. The Epworth League will enter the race at the March meeting for road commissioner in the village district.

Henry H. Favor has completed his course at the University of Maine, and returned to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James N. Favor.

Debts totaling \$4,616.60 and assets of \$1,819.76 of which \$1,150.00 was claimed exempt, were listed by Ray E. Crockett, Bethel garage proprietor, in a petition filed in bankruptcy in the United States District Court, Tuesday.

Perfect Spelling

Perfect spelling for week ending Feb. 19th:

Sixth Grade

Louise M. Lafrance

Carl A. Farnham

Robert F. Roy

Oliver W. Farnham

Frances G. Eastman

Francis S. Andrews

Constance B. Foy

Forrest A. Pratt

Edna M. Hemmingsway

Fifth Grade

James E. Haggart

Martha L. Homer

Beth N. Morse

William D. Wiggin

Adelaide L. Newcomb

Pauline Lafrance

Ronald H. Tyler

Charles W. Olmstead

Fourth Grade

Methyl Barker

William Bartlett

James Cleveland

Jeannette Downing

Paul Everett

Donald Glines

John B. Greenwood

James Greenlaw

Edith Holt

Stella Howe

Third Grade

M. Lorraine Rowe

Martha L. Homer

Dorothy L. Wright

Robert E. Stinson

Leo O. Hemmingsway

Richard J. Denison

Antia L. Richardson

William D. Wiggin

Gloria J. Gallant

Warren B. Roberts

William B. Dow Jr.

Priscilla Shaw

Second Grade

Emil Bedard

Leroy Bennett

Harry Bennett

Arne Blaquiere

Betty B. Threlkeld

Kenneth Cleveland

William D. Wiggin

Wm. G. Bannister

Edward E. Emery

Marie A. Everett

Mary E. Gammon

Marjorie A. Gammon

Margaret E. Greenleaf

Virginia H. Haggart

Division of Second Grade

Harry Taulbee

Clarence Kilgore

John J. Merrill

William D. Wiggin

Francis M. Rich

Louise E. Austin, IV

Oecil W. Heath, IV

William D. Wiggin, IV

Nancy N. Greenleaf, III

Harrison M. Hunt, III

William B. Upton, II

Norma E. Pottle, II

HARRISON

The Harrison Firemen's Drum and Bugle Corps presented their drama "Gone Broke", Friday evening, with a good attendance. The cast of characters was as follows:

Tom Prentiss, broke.....Ross Oatfield

Bill Smith, ditto.....Burt Davis

Mr. Tuckers, ditto.....Burt Davis

Rev. Cassius Harrowdane.....Harry Smith

Phoebe Harrowdane, his wife.....Rudolph

Martha Harrowdane, his sister.....Jessie Thomas

Mahable De Villenot, a guest.....Dorothy Perry

Genevieve Harrowdane, another daughter.....Genevieve Harrowdane

There were specialties between the acts.

Edward Wentworth spent the week end with his aunt, Mrs. Holden Savin, in Waterford.

SWEDEN—BLACK MOUNTAIN

Burton Stearns and wife were Sunday callers at Guy Tower's.

Lawrence Bean came home from the Eye and Ear Infirmary at Portland, Saturday.

Leewood Norton was a week end caller at Guy Tower's.

Grace Ryan, who has been ill with a bad cold, is to be out once more.

Mrs. Calvin Briggs was at Lawrence Bean's one day this week.

Grace Ryan, wife and son, of Ossipee, N. H., were Sunday callers at W. E. Berry's. Ernest Grace, who has been visiting the Berrys, returned home with them.

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